

Decision Day

MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION

It's not too late to plan for college!

Have you made plans for life after high school? It's not too late to go to college.

Have you applied?

If you have not applied to college or you have an incomplete admissions application:

- Meet with your counselor to explore postsecondary options and financial aid opportunities.
- Research schools still accepting admissions applications.
- If you have received an official letter/email from the college, see what else is needed to complete your application. Reach out to the college directly to have a conversation and make sure you're on track to attend in the fall.
- If admission representatives are available during your school's Decision Day event, speak with them to see if they are conducting on-site admissions.

Have you been admitted?

If you have applied to college but have not been admitted:

- Follow up with the colleges you applied to.
- Explore other postsecondary options and research financial aid opportunities.
- Connect with a community college.

Have you officially enrolled?

If you have been admitted to college but have not made a final decision about attending or are not officially enrolled:

- Talk to trusted adults and share your thoughts, questions and concerns about completing enrollment and your plans for the future.
- Speak with an admissions officer, financial aid representative or other expert at the college.
- Have your counselor help you find out more about financial aid or fee waivers, especially
 if you need help paying enrollment fees and deposits.
- If you haven't filed your FAFSA yet, ask your counselor to help you complete it.
- Seek your counselor's assistance to interpret any financial aid information you receive.
 You also may ask a college campus financial aid officer for help.

